### **REMARKS**

Claims 141-225 are pending. In this Supplemental Response, claims 141, 147, 161, 171, 181 and 191 have been amended, and claims 221-225 have been added.

### I. CLAIM AMENDMENTS

The Claims have been amended to further distinguish over the prior art, explicate features and improve clarity. No new matter has been added.

## II. REQUEST TO ENTER CLAIM AMENDMENTS

The Request to Enter Claim Amendments filed on September 6, 2004 is superceded by this Supplemental Response. Applicant withdraws the Request to Enter Claim Amendments upon entry of this Supplemental Response.

### III. FEES

The fee for additional claims 221-225 is calculated below:

	Claims	Highest	<u> </u>	Extra			Additional Fee
For	Remaining	Number		Claims	Rate		
	After	Previously					
	Amendment	Paid For		1			
Total Claims	115	- 80	=	35	x \$9	=	\$315
Independent Claims	7	- 8	T = T	0	x \$43	=	\$0
Multiple Dep. Claim	1	0		1	x \$145	=	\$145
Total Fee						=	\$460

Please charge the \$460 to Deposit Account No. 502178/BDG005-1 and charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to this Account.

# IV. CONCLUSION

The application is believed to be in condition for allowance. Should any issues remain, the Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned attorney.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail ER735731217US in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop 313(c), Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on September 29, 2004.

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